(SRI MOHAMED ALI)

(c) The training that he has undergone helps him to formulate such schemes as are calculated to improving tourism.

(d) Sri R. Ananda Rao, Deputy Director for Field Publicity was placed in charge of the duties of the Director during the above mentioned period.

SURVEY WORK OF BHIMA PROJECT IN SHAHAPUR TALUK.

721. SRI K. R. NADGOWDA (Yadgir).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(a) whether survey work of Bhima Project in Shahapur Taluk has been sanctioned ;

(b) if so, the estimate cost of the project and the extent of area it irrigates ;

(c) when the work of the project will be taken up for execution ?

A SRI VEERENDRA PATIL (Chief Minister).—

(a) Survey work is completed.

(b) (i) Estimated cost Rs. 20.40 Crores.

(ii) About 1,35,000 acres.

(c) This project will be considered when the resources of the State improve.

VIJAYANAGAR CHANNEL AT KENCHANAGUDDA IN SIRUGUPPA TALUK

753. SRI M. DODDANA GOWDA (Siruguppa).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Government is aware that the Dam bits of Vijayanagar Channel at Kenchanagudda in Siruguppa Taluk are in bad shape resulting in heavy leakage ;

(b) whether the Government has taken any steps to repair the bunds ?

A SRI VEERENDRA PATIL.—(Chief Minister)

(a) Yes.

(b) Yes.